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Number of Requests 16,394
Number of Appeals 855
Number of Court Cases 44

## TREASURY DEPARTMENT



#### DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

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(b) Total number of initial determinations not to comply with a request for records made under subsection 552(a):
[Partial and full denials, only. Do not include items listed under 2.(c) below.]

2,444

- 2. Authority relied upon for each such determination:
  - (a) Exemptions in 552(b) and number of times invoked:

(b)(1) 1 (b)(2) 774 (b)(3) 1,890 (b)(4) 35 (b)(5) 590 (b)(6) 296 (b)(7) 1,344 (b)(8) 0 (b)(9) 0

(b) Statutes invoked pursuant to Exemption (b)(3):

List of name and title, or position, of each person who was responsible for the initial denial of records requested and number of instances of each participation: [The total number of all denials must equal the total number of partial and full denials shown in item 1(b).]

Name and Ti		Number of
Name and Fi	616	<u>Denials</u>
Marcus Farbenblum	Section Chief FOI/Privacy Section	8
Len Finkel	Team Leader FOI/Privacy Section	3
H. A. Williamson, Jr.	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	48
Arthur Perretta	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	51
Mary Mar	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	32
Caroleigh Caster	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	15
Martha Richardson	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	27
Jacqueline Bryant	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	40
Charles S. Garabadian	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	28
Janice P. Rudolph	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	58
Cheryl Isom	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	29
E. R. McKelvie	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	39
Symeria R. Rascoe	Disclosure Program Asst. FOI/Privacy Section	28
Sandra Utter	Tax Law Specialist FOI/Privacy Section	37

(c) Other authority (specified by category or described individually as appropriate, e.g., nonpossession of records, refusal to pay reasonable search or duplication fees, etc.):

Reason	Times Invoked
Nonpossession of records	*
Not FOIA	*
<pre>Imperfect requests (31 CFR 1.5(c)(1)-(7))</pre>	:
Total	3,206
Partial breakdown by subsection:	
(c)(2) FOIA not referenced (c)(3) Improperly addressed (c)(4) Insufficient description (c)(7) No agreement to pay fees Referred in full, intra-agency	(Our coding system did not sub-divide these requests by subsection,
Referred in part, intra-agency	*
Referred, inter-agency	*
Failure to provide proof of ID	355
Appeal prior to initial determination -	10
Request withdrawn by requester	287
No existing records	2,118
Nonpayment of outstanding FOIA bill	*
Denial of fee warver request	*
Records previously furnished	*
Handled by telephone	*
Records destroyed in due course	*
Closed without determination (includes items listed above but not broken out)	432

however, most of the imperfect requests are due to nonagreements to pay fees and/or inadequately described records.)

	Number of
Name and	Title Denial
Michelle Lamishaw	Program Analyst 7 FOI/Privacy Section
Mary C. Suffoletta	Tax Law Specialist 8 FOI/Privacy Section
Irving Porter	Tax Law Specialist 5 FOI/Privacy Section
Harold M. Browning	District Director 3 Cincinnati
Robert W. Brock	Assistant District Director l Cincinnati
George Miller	Regional Disclosure Officer 1 Cincinnati
Steve Henstridge	Disclosure Officer 12 Cleveland
Linda Brown	Disclosure Officer 100 Detroit
Veronica Lumpkins	Disclosure Specialist 12 Detroit
Henry A. Williamson	Acting Disclosure Officer 3 Detroit
Kenneth Spenser	Disclosure Officer 27 Indianapolis
Julia M. Courtier	Acting Disclosure Officer 4 Cincinnati Service Center
Jack McGraw	Disclosure Officer 4 Cincinnati Service Center
George Miller	Disclosure Officer 4 Cincinnati Service Center
Edwin R. Ward, Jr.	Disclosure Officer 16 Louisville
Paul J. DiCecco	Disclosure Officer 16 Mid-Atlantic Region/ Philadelphia

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# Name and Title

Ruth Goldstein	Acting Disclosure Officer Mid-Atlantic Region/	2
	Philadelphia	
C. O. Carley	Assistant to the Director Baltimore	1
Stephen L. Daige	Assistant District Director Baltimore	5
Teddy R. Kern	District Director Baltimore	5
Bruce V. Millburn	Assistant District Director Newark	2
J. J. Jennings	District Director Newark	4
Robert Roche	Acting District Director Newark	2
April Anson	Disclosure Officer Newark	3
George E. Sutton	Disclosure Officer Richmond	4
Thomas Sutor	Disclosure Officer Wilmington	2
Charles Guy	Assistant Director Philadelphia Service Center	2
Debbie Decker	Acting Director Philadelphia Service Center	1
George O'Hanlon	District Director Pittsburgh	6
Helen White	Assistant District Director Pittsburgh	2
L. Moore	ARC (Examination)	1

Name and Ti	tle	Number of Denials
None and 11		Denials
Frances X. Walsh	Acting Director Andover Service Center	2
M. Liebermann	District Director Providence	2
Robert Chaput	Acting District Director Providence	r 1
John Drew	Acting District Director Providence	r 1
Donald Mitgang	District Director Portsmouth	6
Richard Teed	Acting District Director Portsmouth	r 2
Ted Tedesco	Assistant District Direct Manhattan	ctor 6
C. O. Carley	Acting Assistant District Director Manhattan	6
James E. Quinn	District Director	2
Thomas Kerr	Acting District Director Hartford	1
Regina Deanahan	Acting District Director	r 2
Joyce Weitz	District Director Burlington	2
Martin Basson	Disclosure Officer North-Atlantic Region	2
Gary Matthews	District Director Buffalo	9
Curtis Jenkins	Acting District Director Buffalo	r 3
Richard Lawless	Acting District Director Buffalo	r 1

Name and Ti	tle	Number of Denials
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John Johnson	District Director Boston	2
Don Cowles	Acting District Director Boston	r l
Gary Jurovich	Acting District Director Boston	r 1
Edwin A. Kelleher	District Director Albany	6
John Ehlen	Acting District Director Albany	r 1
John Touhy	Disclosure Officer Albany	1
James Daly, Jr.	District Director Augusta	1 T4
R. C. Voskuil	Regional Commissioner Southwest Region	3
Gerald Swanson	Acting Regional Commiss Southwest Region	ioner 2
Glenn E. Shepard	Acting Regional Commiss Southwest Region	ioner l
Gary O. Booth	District Director Austin	16
Robert C. Wilkerson	Assistant District Dire	
Edward M. Cavuto	Acting District Directo Austin	r l
Michael R. Grubich	Acting District Directo Austin	
Julia L. Gonzales	Disclosure Officer Austin	1
Conrad Clapper	District Director Cheyenne	2
Glenn Cagle	District Director Dallas	16

### Name and Title

James E. Kelly	Antino Dialui e Di	
James E. Kerry	Acting District Director Dallas	17
G. L. Mihlbachler	District Director Denver	5
Thomas M. Reid	Assistant District Director Denver	10
John A. Mattson	Acting District Director Denver	1
E. A. Stines	Acting District Director Denver	3
J. Martin	Acting District Director Denver	1
Arturo A. Jacobs	District Director Houston	ና
Bobby E. Scott	Chief, Examination Div. Houston	19
K. J. Sawyer	District Director Oklahoma City	3
George Close	Assistant District Director Oklahoma City	2
Paul B. Nichols, Jr.	Disclosure Officer Oklahoma City	20
Larry Beckham	Acting District Director Oklahoma City	IĮ
William C. Reitan	Acting District Director - Oklahoma City	ι
W. E. Fisher	Disclosure Officer Phoenix	66
W. Ferrell	Acting Disclosure Officer Phoenix	3
D. O'Conner	Acting Disclosure Officer	2

Name and Tit	- ا -	Number of Denials
Name and 11		<u>Denial3</u>
John M. Rankin	Assistant Commissioner (Inspection)	3
Richard Byrd, Jr.	Disclosure Officer (Inspection)	2
Erwin Sobin	Acting Deputy Assistant Commissioner (Inspectio	n)
Leslie S. Shapiro	Director of Practice	4
Jean S. Pate	Disclosure Officer Southeast Region	5
Jean S. Pate	Disclosure Officer Atlanta	35
Karen Czeskleba	Disclosure Officer Birmingham	6
Michael S. Barnett	Disclosure Officer Columbia	13
Stewart Chamberlain	Disclosure Officer Ft. Lauderdale	9
Peggy Harris	Acting Disclosure Offic Greensboro	er 2
Jackie Bracey	Disclosure Officer Greensboro	19
Betty Weiss	Disclosure Officer Jackson	5
B. K. Ferris	Disclosure Officer Jacksonville	30
E. L. Leuthold	Acting Disclosure Offic Jacksonville	er 8
A. B. Summerlin	Acting Disclosure Offic Jacksonville	er l
Laurie L. Huett	Disclosure Officer Little Rock	5
Laurie L. Hale	Disclosure Officer Little Rock	6

Name and Ti	tle	of Denials
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James H. Hobbs	Disclosure Officer Nashville	6
Nesbitt Parker	Disclosure Officer New Orleans	11
Betty Barksdale	Disclosure Officer Atlanta Service Center	22
Thomas E. Willett	Disclosure Officer Memphis Service Center	4
Percy Woodard, Jr.	Assistant Commissioner International	6

4.	adve	l number of intra-agency agerse initial decisions made ection (a)(6):		- 1145	855
	(a)	Number of appeals in which request for information was	n, upon review as granted in	full:	13
	(b)	Number of appeals in which request for information wa	n, upon review as denied in f	full:	45
	(c)	Number of appeals in which request for information wa	n, upon review as denied in p	oart:	38
		Pending		_	478
5.	Specif on app	ic authority relied upon fo	or total or pa	irtial den	ials
	(a)	Exemptions 552(b) and the	number of tim	nes invoke	d:
		(b)(1) <u>0</u>	(b)(6)	2	2.5
		(b)(2) <u>17</u>	(b)(7)	90	
		(b)(3) <u>57</u>	(b)(8)	0	
		(b)(4)1	(b)(9)	0	
		(b)(5) <u>17</u>			
	(b)	Statutes invoked pursuant	to Exemption	(b)(3):	
		Statutory Citation	-	Number Times In	
		26 U.S.C. 6103		82	
		26 U.S.C. 6103(a) 26 U.S.C. 6103(b)(2)		23	
		26 U.S.C. 6103(b)(2)		19	
		Federal Rules of Criminal			
		Procedure: Rule 6(e)		0	- 1

# (c) Other authority:

Reason	Number of Times Invoked
Treated as non-appeal	368
Withdrawn by requester	73
Denied fee waiver request	44
Litigation commenced due to failure to respond on time	24
Nonpossession of records	4
Refusal to pay fees	23
Documents not administrative material -	78
Record does not exist	88
Records not requested in initial FOIA request	76
All records already released to requester	61
Requester did not file appeal within the 35-day period	0

6. List of name and title, or position, of each person who, on appeal, was responsible for the denial in whole or in part of records requested and the number of instances of each signator's participation: [The total number of denials on appeal must equal the total of 4(b) and 4(c).]

	Name and Title	Number of Denials on Appeal
Alan A. Beck	Deputy Assistant Commissioner (Support and Services)	-1
Peter V. Filpi	Director, Disclosure Litigation Division	63
John B. Cummings	Assistant Director Disclosure Litigition Division	15 n
Arthur L. Lappen	Acting Director, Disclosure Litigation Division	4

A copy of each court opinion or order giving rise to a proceeding under subsection (a)(4)(F); a copy of the Office of Personnel Managements' findings and recommendations on each such proceeding; and a report of the disciplinary action taken against the officer or employee who was responsible for improperly withholding records or an explanation of why disciplinary action was not taken. Number of documents attached: Up-to-date copies of all rules or regulations issued pursuant to, or in implementation of, the Freedom of 8. Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552). (Only amendments made during this reporting period are reported here.) Number of documents attached: See Attachment A A copy of the fee schedule adopted and the total dollar amount of fees collected for making records available. 9. \$75,811.83 Amount collected:

Amount corre	cted:		1 1 1	A		
Pursuant to	subparagraph	(d)(7), f efforts	the	follow fully	ving information administer	this

- is provided indicative of efforts to fully administer this 10. section:
  - Availability of records. A list of all new categories or segregative portions of records now being released upon request. See Attachment B
  - Costs. Incremental costs incurred in administering the 1974 amendments to the Act. The best estimate of (b) direct and indirect costs for CY 1987: 3,784,886 .
  - Compliance with time limitations for agency determinations. Subparagraph (a)(6)(A) provides for an initial determination to be made on any request for records within ten (10) working days (usually two weeks) of its receipt. In case of an appeal from an initial denial, a determination on the appeal is to be made by the agency within twenty (20) working days (usually four weeks) after receipt of the appeal. The amendments contain two provisions for extension of the foregoing time limits: (1) an additional ten days in three types of unusual circumstances, and (2) where authorized by a court.

(1)	The total number of instances in which it was necessary to seek a 10-day extension of time was:
	broken down as follows:
	a. The need to search for and collect the requested records from field facilities or other establishments that are separate from the office processing the request:  0
	b. The need to search for, collect, and appropriately examine a voluminous amount of separate and distinct records which were demanded in a single request:
	c. The need for consultation, which was conducted with all practicable speed, with another agency having a substan- tial interest in the determination of the request or among two or more com- ponents of the agency having substan- tial subject matter interest therein:
(2)	The total number of instances where court appeals were taken on the basis of exhaustion of administrative procedures because the agency was unable to comply with the request within the applicable time limits:
(3)	The total number of instances in which a court allowed additional time upon showing exceptional circumstances, together with a copy of each court opinion or order containing such an extension of time:
(d)	Internal memoranda. A copy of all unpublished internal memoranda or instructions setting forth procedures to be followed by agency personnel in administering the Act or defining its coverage together with a statement indicating whether the memoranda or instructions are publicly available or, if not, the legal basis for non-disclosure of any such document.
	Number of documents attached.

11. Number of court cases: 44